Northern football

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As someone has said, "One game does not a season make!" This is certainly true for the Bears, their next opponent should offer them a chance to get on track before facing Division II foes Friday night (9/7) Northern will play host to old Blue Mt and Division III rival Big Spring. The Bulldogs will come into this contest having lost to Newport 21 to 13 last Friday night. It is difficult to pinpoint just what Big Spring will do, reason being their program is in a transition stage with a new Head Coach and precious little talent. Against Newport, the Bulldogs did not fare very successfully (50 yards), but did they ever pass the ball (16-44). At any rate, it will be a different set of problems to face.

I will leave the predicting to someone else. This is, however, one game I felt that Northern should put in the win column. Only time will tell!

Pony team fell 28 to 7

The late afternoon game saw the Northern Midgets pickup their second win in as many games also. Head Coach John Walker remarked, "the team played a real tough defensive game." Northern's offensive team moved the football down the field on their first possession on the arm of Josh Reynolds and the running of Patrick Hicks, Josh Kunkle, and Steve Ritchey. Key passes caught were by Brandon Carper and Patrick Hicks, which set up the 1 yard touchdown run by Steve Ritchey.

The determination of the defense which consists of Otuout Kounlavong, Trey Oyer, Shawn Arnold as linebackers, Josh Reynolds and Josh Kunkle as backs, Brandon Carper and Clair Giles, ends; Tim Walker, nose guard, Steve Ritchey and Nathan Shaman, tackle; and Patrick Hicks, safety. Thus fine defense held New Cumberland on 1st down and goal from the 2 yard line. They held them for 4 downs and won the game 7 to 6.

The coaches of the midgets team would like to thank all of these men for doing a fine job.

We can ask any of these young men to move to another position and they will do it, because it is for the team, said Coach Walker.

The team played as a unit and we would like to let everyone know who these fine young men are. They are trying their hardest to turn the midget programs around so make winners out of all of them. The 1990 Midgets are: Josh Ingram, Josh Reynolds Shawn Arnold Patrick Hicks, Josh Kunkle, Tim Walker, Jason Gailoway, Steve Ritchey, Otroout Kounlavong, Troy Oyer, Zach Lupold; Danny Perva , Steve Gumpher, Cliff Dorsey, Dave Lenhart, Jessie Mannoil, Chris McDermith, Jeff Westhafer, Brandon Carper, Clair Giles and Nathan Shuman. Great job team and good luck the reason of the season.

Northern will be on the road again September 16 at Dauphin Halifax. Game time is 1 p.m. They will open a home stand September 23 at 2 p.m. Come watch and support these young men, it's the most exciting thing in town.

Northern and Burmudian players both stretch to reach the ball during last week's game against Burmudian. Photo by David March

The team to beat in 1990, says the Patriot News of Northern's soccer team. They defeated Dover during last weeks opener 5-1. The next home game is this Saturday night.

JV soccer team wins opener 5-1

Each season a group of incoming freshmen players join the ranks of the Northern high school soccer team. Most of these new faces begin by playing on the Junior Varsity team. The Polar Bear J.V.'s have posted an impressive, almost imposing, record of 25 wins and 1 loss over the past two seasons. The season opening matchup against Dover showed this year's team was ready to play as they posted a dominating 5-1 victory.

Dover was perhaps an excellent opponent for first year coach Mike Dourish's J.V.'s, for the Bears had to play hard, yet were able to control both ends of the field. It provided the experienced returning players a chance to play with their new teammates in successful fashion and get a good shot of confidence for upcoming division play.

Sophomore Jon Kevern turned in a strong performance as did returning J.V.'s Kurt Knaub, Chris Mehring, Dan Showers and Mark Renard. Freshmen Shawn Massey and B.J. Zicroff helped provide the offensive punch by each scoring two goals. Sophomore Brent Shoemaker handled the goalkeeping chores for the Polar Bears. Knaub also scored one of the goals, while Kevern and Knaub were each credited with one assist.

By the time this article is printed, the J.V.'s will have played two conference games, Camp Hill and East Pennsboro. It will be interesting to observe the progress of the team as they develop their teamwork skills.

Pee Wees, Midgets stay undefeated

By Daryl Dunnger

On September 2, 1990, Northern traveled to New Cumberland to take on the Saints. The Pee Wees started the day off by defeating the lady Saints 20 to 0. Northern's defense was to be the highlight of the game. Anchored by a very talented group of young men, the Pee Wees defense allowed the Saints only two first downs and a total of 22 total yards offense. Leading the defensive charge were Jason Gates with 9 tackles, Brock Benson 7 tackles, Brent Wessner with 4 tackles and 2 near interceptions and Tom Wessner, Brad Perva, Dustin Kipe, Ancoi Kounlavong each assisted with 4 tackles. Scott Magee, Nick O'Conner recovered 2 Saint fumbles.

Offensively for Northern, Brad Perva at quarterback led the Polar Bears to a total 150 yards rushing and passing before giving way to backup quarterback Brock Benson due to an injury in the third quarter. The 1st half saw QB Brad Perva hit Brock Benson for a 34 yard touchdown pass, the extra point was made by Jason Gates and Northern took the lead 7 to 0.

Still in the first half, Brad Perva and his offense mounted another scoring drive. This was capped off by a quarterback keep for 15 yards. Northern led at halftime 14 to 0.

The second half started with Tom Wessner returning the kickoff scamper around the end for 9 yards and Northern lead 20 to 0. Brock Benson was the starting Brad Perva took Northern down the field once again but time ran out on this scoring drive but nevertheless it ate up the clock. So the Pee Wee win their second in a row and lead their division by two games. Head Coach Daryl Dasinger remarked "that this may be the best Pee Wee team ever to play at Northern," "They are all dedicated to winning the game." "If we stay healthy, there is no reason we can't win our division.

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Northern soccer

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Mario Cen, Analy Sprcher, Kyle Hess, Steve Miller and Chad Rosenberger.

Hess with three goals and Yohn with two provided the finishing touches needed for a potent offense. With players like Jason Gerber, Chris Kilmore, Tim Irwin, Swerling, Miller, and a host of others playing tight defense and moving the ball upfield, someone must be in a position to finish and play and find the net. As the assists and scores testify, the Bears had it all when they needed it this time around.

Sanderson and Mike Waters each played one half at the keeper position and turned in solid efforts. Both seniors Eric and Mike are experienced goalies but will be seeing their first full slate of Mid Penn action after the graduation of Mike O'Brien. It should be a plus for the team to have these two seniors at the important keeper position.

With this first win under their belts the Bears head into full scale Mid Penn III action, with the Harrisburg Patriot News ranking them as the team to beat in 1990. Coach Ken Sweeney doesn't seem to shy away from having his charges be the target of would be challengers. He does seem to have his team in good condition, free of major injuries and is loaded with bench strength. Many players can be maneuvered in and out of the flow of the game with very little effect on the level of play.

Saturday night, September 8th, Northern tackles Mt. Penn II neighbor Mechanicsburg. The Junior Varsity plays at 6:00 p.m. followed by the Varsity. Come on out and support the Bears!

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Reflections on a Lifetime

(Continued from last week)

a hole from beneath Elwood's chin through his mouth. This was another alarming incident which leads me to believe that perhaps were were accident prone.

I flew in York another event took place in my life. I started to school! In those days one could begin school at midyear, and since I turned six on January 3, 1925 I began my elementary education at the Madison Avenue School about three or four blocks from where we lived. I don't remember much about those early school days in York although I do remember going to and fro with the other children and romping in the leaves which the city had piled up in nearby for later collection. York was a beautiful tree lined city and our avenue was no exception!

To be continued next week

By Dale M. Rentz
Iowa City, Iowa, 1954

Movie Madness Marathon

WITF-TV33 will be madcap and a weekend of screwball movies running the spectrum from classics to westerns to children's movies beginning Friday, September 7 at 11:30 p.m. and continuing through off on Sunday, September 9.

During the weekend viewers will be able to call 233-9800 to register for a variety of prizes. Throughout the weekend, viewers may call 1-900-776-FILM to enter the prize drawing as well as to select one of five films as the final movie of the marathon ("All About Eve," "Caprenicorn One," "The Philadelphia Story," "Rain," and "Inherit the Wind.") In order to cover the cost of the 900 phone call and support future movie marathons, there is a $1 charge for each call.

The grand prize is an RCA 35-inch console stereo color television donated by Carlisle Electronics and Appliances. A Hitachi on screen programmable VCR was also donated by Sears in Colonial Park Mall. Other prizes include movie passes, theater tickets, popcorn, and books.

The marathon opens with "Some Like it Hot," starring Marilyn Monroe followed by another blond haired, blue-eyed, Paul Newman in "Exodus." Roy Rogers and John Wayne ride through Saturday morning, while three Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers dominate the afternoon. The epic film "Doctor Zhivago," and "Phantom of the Opera" close out the Saturday offerings.

Environmental programs

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For more information about "Smoke Stoppers", please call 231-8400.

My Daze

SHADES OF BUCK ROGERS! A prominent scientist has just made a statement (according to the newspapers) that will forevermore make him the enemy of the young! Yes, particularly the fellas who pore over the space guns and space suits. He has made a study of the heavens and the atmosphere and come to the conclusion that it isn't impossible for life to exist on another planet, especially Mars and Jupiter. I've been wondering what the youngsters are going to do with those live million space suits, space guns, and the helmets that look like fish bowls! By this time, Don Corbett, one of the Space Patrol, has cruised into the straight-away VCR was also donated by Sears in Colonial Park Mall. Other prizes include movie passes, theater tickets, popcorn, and books.

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Deb's Country Corner

Hello Country Folks

My son and I had a real nice Sunday afternoon a week or two ago. We visited the Lancaster Valley. Impressive barns, some beautifully restored cars and trucks. It was about 90 degrees in the shade that day but it didn't detract from the beauty of those classics.

Michael, at eight years old, knows more about some of the cars than I do. I was amazed at the body restorations, whereas Michael wanted to do nothing but look under the hood. When I would remark about the chromed bumpers, Michael would tell me to look at some burnished carburetor. As you can tell, I'm not mechanically inclined.

I wonder sometimes how ladies drove some of those cars. The steering wheels looked as big as wagon wheels. The seats sat so low I'm sure I would have to have had a booster seat just to see out the windshield.

My favorite was a fully restored truck (attic) a Buckeye. I know nothing about old motor vehicles but it looked to me like it was intended to be used as a vendor's truck. I could just imagine this truck putting down some old country tune. The driver would jump out roll up the canvas sides, and open out the wooden display shelves. The wood was beautifully restored and the truck was redone in a high gloss cherry red.

Michael's favorite was a sea '55 Chevy. He told me endless details about the engine and its ability to "peel out." I had to admit it was an awesome machine.

There was a country band playing all afternoon, and plenty of food. Food so far Mike and I passed out luck and bought 6 tickets and wouldn't you know we won a lap quilt! The whole afternoon had a real "country" feel to it. If any of you get a chance to visit these Exhibitions and Street Rods when they're in your area don't miss it.

I suppose summer's almost over but if you'd like me there are still plenty of picnics and smokouts to come. How about some of you get back suppers at your old church? Ever get tired of the same old thing? Here's a different, but simple recipe. Hope you'll try it.

Carrot Salad
3 carrots peeled and shredded
3 apples diced
2 cups crushed pineapple, drained
2 stalks celery diced
1/4 cup pineapple juice
3/4 cup mayonnaise
1 to 2 tablespoons sugar
Combine carrots, apples, pineapple, celery. Mix pineapple juice mayonnaise and sugar. Stir well, and pour over the other ingredients. Chill at least 3 hours before serving.

HOUSEHOLD HINT OF THE WEEK: A friend of mine did a little "remodeling" and had some beautiful blue bathroom tile left over. There were only about 20 tiles left, but they were too pretty to just throw in the garbage. So here's what I did. I have an old wooden serving tray which was very worn and scratched on the bottom. I simply glued the tile over it and made a beautiful once again. My son's "kid size" picnic table was also a hit. If I had been left out in one too many rain storms. So I covered the top of it with the tiles. Make sure the surface is clean, and as smooth as possible. Use the special glue/grout to put the tiles in place. The picnic table looks new again.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK. Middle age is that phase of life when your idea of getting ahead is just staying even.

Bye for this week
Deb Weatbrook
Deb's Country Corner

Support Group to Meet

The Social Services Department of Holy Spirit Hospital offers a support group for cancer patients who are responsible for caring for dependent elderly or chronically ill persons. The service is free and open to the public.

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